In the Matter of the Closing

of the

COURTS OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

ORDER REGARDING THE CLOSURE OF ALL HAWAI'I STATE COURTS (By: Moon, C.J., for the court¹)

In consideration of (1) the economic circumstance of the State of Hawai'i, (2) Judiciary employee furloughs due to the economic circumstance of the State of Hawai'i, and (3) other resource changes due to the economic circumstance of the State of Hawai'i, the courts of the State of Hawai'i will be closed on days that would, in other circumstances, be usual and customary court business days. Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that for all purposes under the rules of court and any statutes of limitations or repose, each day a court is closed shall be treated as a Saturday or Sunday.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order is effective upon entry and until further order of this court.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaiʻi, October 23, 2009.

FOR THE COURT:

Chief Justice

 $^{^{\}mbox{\tiny 1}}$ Considered by: Moon, C.J., Nakayama, Acoba, Duffy, and Recktenwald, JJ.